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In re the application of: Gary L. Olson *et al.*

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Thereof for the Modulation of Angiogenesis"

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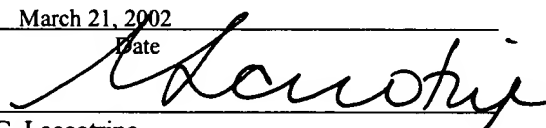
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**REQUEST FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

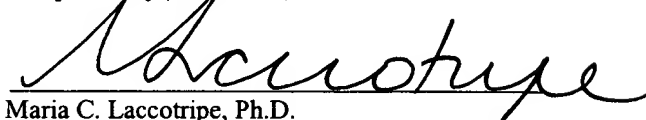
Dear Sir:

Applicants request a three-month extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action dated November 1, 2001.

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